GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
LABOUR
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1075
ANSWERED ON:25.11.2002
CLOSURE OF INDUSTRIES
PUSHPDAN SHAMBHUDAN GADHAVI

Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) the number of industries declared closed during the last three years in the States including Gujarat;

(b) the number of affected workers due to these closures, State-wise; and

(c) the steps being taken by the Government to rehabilitate the affected workers?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN MINISTRY OF LABOUR (SHRI ASHOK PRADHAN)

(a) & (b): State-wise information, as provided by the Labour Bureau, on the number of industries declared closed in the last three years and the workers affected due to these closures, is annexed.

(c): Safeguards are provided under the Industrial Disputes Act, 1947 to protect the interests of workers affected by such closures. A scheme for counseling, retraining and redeployment of rationalized workers of Central Public Sector Undertakings has also been introduced from 2001-02 with a thrust on self-employment of the rationalized employees.

Annexure referred to in reply to Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No.1075 raised by Shri P.S.Gadhavi for 25.11.2002 regarding closure of industries.

STATE-WISE NUMBER OF CLOSURES AND WORKERS AFFECTED DURING 1999-2002

	1999(P)		2000(P)		2001(P)		2002(JAN.-SEP.)(P)	
	A	B	A	B	A	B	A	B
A.P	2	114	3	393	-	-	2	226
ARUNACHAL PR	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ASSAM	1	21	-	-	1	39	..	..
BIHAR	3	90	-	-	-	-	..	..
GOA	4	163	6	326	7	403	-	-
GUJARAT	14	272	25	999	43	1,353	22	1,073
HARYANA	2	187	4	262	1	20	1	62
H.P.	-	-	6	186	5	255	1	15
J&K	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
KARNATAKA	3	2,237	9	624	7	220	6	343
KERALA	9	293	9	367	9	695	5	90
MADHYA PR.	9	1,552	-	-	-	-	1	29
MAHARASHTRA	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	70
MANIPUR	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MEGHALAYA	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MIZORAM	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NAGALAND	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ORISSA	5	350	8	498	2	130	1	14
PUNJAB	51	8,202	1	22	1	91	-	-
RAJASTHAN	5	269	4	348	1	49	3	311
SIKKIM	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TAMILNADU	2	630	3	737	7	417	-	-
TRIPURA	18	139	7	104	7	199	1	35
UTTAR PRADESH	13	559	31	6,356	39	7,127	-	-
UTTARANCHAL@	5	437	-	-				
WEST BENGAL	10	463	5	426	-	-	..	..
A&N.ISLANDS	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CHANDIGARH	3	75	-	-	10	150	1	12

D & N HAVELI	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DELHI	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	17
DAMAN & DIU	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LAKSHADWEEP	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PONDICHERRY	5	91	17	256	6	14	1	5
GRAND TOTAL	159	15,707	138	11,904	151	11,599	47	2,302

A = NUMBER OF UNITS CLOSED
B = NUMBER OF WORKERS AFFECTED
- = NIL
.. = NOT AVAILABLE

(P) = PROVISIONAL
@ = LABOUR BUREAU HAS STARTED FURNISHING INFORMATION IN RESPECT OF UTTARANCHAL FROM 2001.